

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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HOWARD EPSTEIN,

Plaintiff,

-v-

HARTFORD LIFE AND ACCIDENT
INSURANCE CO.,

Defendant.
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No. 09 Civ. 5608 (RA)

ORDER


RONNIE ABRAMS, United States District Judge:

It has been reported to the Court that this case has been settled. Accordingly, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the above-captioned action is discontinued without costs to any party and without prejudice to restoring the action to this Court's docket if the application to restore the action is made within thirty (30) days.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 8, 2013
New York, New York



Ronnie Abrams
United States District Judge



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Re: Epstein v. Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Company
09 CV 5608 (RA)

Dear Judge Abrams:

We are counsel to plaintiff in the above-referenced action. We write on behalf of the parties to inform the Court that the parties have been able to settle the case through mediation. The parties are in the process of formalizing the settlement in a written settlement agreement. We respectfully request that the Court issue an order dismissing the case, with an option to reopen within 30 days if a final settlement agreement is not reached.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "SR" or similar initials, written over the typed name "Scott M. Riemer".

Scott M. Riemer

cc: Michael Bernstein, Esq.